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FOR: SUSPENSION, HEAD GIMBAL ASSEMBLY, HEAD ARM ASSEMBLY WITH THE HEAD GIMBAL ASSEMBLY AND DISK DRIVE DEVICE WITH THE

HEAD ARM ASSEMBLY

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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SIR:

In response to the Patent Office Communication dated January 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 17 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.